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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC.

Plaintiff-Counterclaim Defendant,

v.

SUN MICROSYSTEMS, INC.

Defendant-Counterclaim Plaintiff.

CASE NO. C-07-6053-EDL

**DECLARATION OF CARRIE
WILLIAMSON IN SUPPORT OF SUN'S
OPENING CLAIM CONSTRUCTION
BRIEF**

Claim Construction Hearing:

Date: August 27, 2008

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Judge: Hon. Elizabeth D. Laporte

I, Carrie L. Williamson, declare as follows:

1. I am an attorney with the law firm of DLA Piper US LLP, counsel for Sun Microsystems, Inc. ("Sun"). I have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein and if called as a witness, could and would competently testify hereto.

2. A true and correct copy of United States Patent No. 5,819,292 ("the '292 patent"), Bates numbered NA00000001- NA00000056, is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

3. A true and correct copy of United States Patent No. 6,892,211 ("the '211 patent"),

Bates numbered NA0001505- NA0001559, is attached hereto as Exhibit B.

4. A true and correct copy of United States Patent No. 7,200, 715 (“the ’715 patent”),
Bates numbered NA0004900- NA0004926, is attached hereto as Exhibit C.

5. A true and correct copy of United States Patent No. 7,174,352 (“the ’352 patent”),
Bates numbered NA0001933- NA0001953, is attached hereto as Exhibit D.

6. A true and correct copy of the May 20, 2004, Office Action of the file history of
the ’715 patent, Bates numbered NA0005456- NA0005463 is attached hereto as Exhibit E.

7. A true and correct copy of the August 20, 2004, Amendment of the file history of
the ’715 patent, Bates numbered NA0005466- NA0005487 is attached hereto as Exhibit F.

8. A true and correct copy of the November 19, 2004, Office Action of the file
history of the ’715 patent, Bates numbered NA0005490- NA0005499 is attached hereto as
Exhibit G.

9. A true and correct copy of the February 22, 2005, Preliminary Amendment of the
file history of the ’715 patent, Bates numbered NA0005517- NA0005524 is attached hereto as
Exhibit H.

10. A true and correct copy of the August 17, 2005, Amendment of the file history of
the ’715 patent, Bates numbered NA0006452- NA0006469 is attached hereto as Exhibit I.

11. A true and correct copy of the Notice of Allowability of the file history of the ’715
patent, Bates numbered NA0006474-NA0006483, is attached hereto as Exhibit J.

12. A true and correct copy of selected pages of the June 12, 2008, Doug Doucette
deposition from this litigation is attached hereto as Exhibit K.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the Laws of the United States of America that the
foregoing is true and correct. This declaration is executed in East Palo Alto, California.

Dated: July 7, 2008

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